

## ELEVATION CERTIFICATE

**Important:** Follow the instructions on pages 1-9.

Copy all pages of this Elevation Certificate and all attachments for (1) community official, (2) insurance agent/company, and (3) building owner.

SECTION A - PROPERTY INFORMATION				FOR INSURANCE COMPANY USE	
A1. Building Owner's Name Daniel J. & Linda T. Harrington				Policy Number:	
A2. Building Street Address (including Apt., Unit, Suite, and/or Bldg. No.) or P.O. Route and Box No. 70 Weekapaug Road				Company NAIC Number:	
City Westerly		State Rhode Island		ZIP Code 02891	
A3. Property Description (Lot and Block Numbers, Tax Parcel Number, Legal Description, etc.) Assessor's Plat 143 Lot 107					
A4. Building Use (e.g., Residential, Non-Residential, Addition, Accessory, etc.) <u>Residential</u>					
A5. Latitude/Longitude: Lat. <u>41°20'16.14" N</u> Long. <u>071°46'05.30" W</u> Horizontal Datum: <input type="checkbox"/> NAD 1927 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAD 1983					
A6. Attach at least 2 photographs of the building if the Certificate is being used to obtain flood insurance.					
A7. Building Diagram Number <u>7</u>					
A8. For a building with a crawlspace or enclosure(s):					
a) Square footage of crawlspace or enclosure(s) <u>660.00</u> sq ft					
b) Number of permanent flood openings in the crawlspace or enclosure(s) within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>4</u>					
c) Total net area of flood openings in A8.b <u>see comments</u> sq in					
d) Engineered flood openings? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
A9. For a building with an attached garage: <u>N/A</u>					
a) Square footage of attached garage <u>        </u> sq ft					
b) Number of permanent flood openings in the attached garage within 1.0 foot above adjacent grade <u>        </u>					
c) Total net area of flood openings in A9.b <u>        </u> sq in					
d) Engineered flood openings? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
SECTION B - FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) INFORMATION					
B1. NFIP Community Name & Community Number Westerly, Town of 445410			B2. County Name Washington		B3. State Rhode Island
B4. Map/Panel Number 44009C0259	B5. Suffix J	B6. FIRM Index Date 10-16-2013	B7. FIRM Panel Effective/ Revised Date 10-16-2013	B8. Flood Zone(s) AE	B9. Base Flood Elevation(s) (Zone AO, use Base Flood Depth) 12 & 13
B10. Indicate the source of the Base Flood Elevation (BFE) data or base flood depth entered in Item B9: <input type="checkbox"/> FIS Profile <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FIRM <input type="checkbox"/> Community Determined <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Source: <u>        </u>					
B11. Indicate elevation datum used for BFE in Item B9: <input type="checkbox"/> NGVD 1929 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAVD 1988 <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Source: <u>        </u>					
B12. Is the building located in a Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) area or Otherwise Protected Area (OPA)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Designation Date: <u>        </u> <input type="checkbox"/> CBRS <input type="checkbox"/> OPA					

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## SECTION C – BUILDING ELEVATION INFORMATION (SURVEY REQUIRED)

C1. Building elevations are based on: ☐ Construction Drawings\* ☐ Building Under Construction\* ☒ Finished Construction

\*A new Elevation Certificate will be required when construction of the building is complete.

C2. Elevations – Zones A1–A30, AE, AH, A (with BFE), VE, V1–V30, V (with BFE), AR, AR/A, AR/AE, AR/A1–A30, AR/AH, AR/AO. Complete Items C2.a–h below according to the building diagram specified in Item A7. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.

Benchmark Utilized: Local - GPS Vertical Datum: NAVD-88

Indicate elevation datum used for the elevations in items a) through h) below.

☐ NGVD 1929 ☒ NAVD 1988 ☐ Other/Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Datum used for building elevations must be the same as that used for the BFE.

Check the measurement used.

a) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure floor)	<u>6.79</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
b) Top of the next higher floor	<u>15.11</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
c) Bottom of the lowest horizontal structural member (V Zones only)	<u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
d) Attached garage (top of slab)	<u>N/A</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
e) Lowest elevation of machinery or equipment servicing the building (Describe type of equipment and location in Comments)	<u>15.11</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
f) Lowest adjacent (finished) grade next to building (LAG)	<u>6.75</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
g) Highest adjacent (finished) grade next to building (HAG)	<u>12.40</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters
h) Lowest adjacent grade at lowest elevation of deck or stairs, including structural support	<u>7.00</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> feet	<input type="checkbox"/> meters

## SECTION D – SURVEYOR, ENGINEER, OR ARCHITECT CERTIFICATION

This certification is to be signed and sealed by a land surveyor, engineer, or architect authorized by law to certify elevation information. I certify that the information on this Certificate represents my best efforts to interpret the data available. I understand that any false statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment under 18 U.S. Code, Section 1001.

Were latitude and longitude in Section A provided by a licensed land surveyor? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Check here if attachments.

Certifier's Name  
Mark A. Castellanos

License Number  
RI #2511

Title  
Survey Manager

Company Name  
Cherenzia & Associates, Ltd.

Address  
99 Mechanic Street

City  
Pawcatuck

State  
Connecticut

ZIP Code  
06379



Signature

*MA Castellanos*

Date  
03-11-2019

Telephone  
(860) 629-6500

Ext.  
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Comments (including type of equipment and location, per C2(e), if applicable)  
See Attached

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70 Weekapaug Road

Policy Number:

City  
WesterlyState  
Rhode IslandZIP Code  
02891

Company NAIC Number

**SECTION E – BUILDING ELEVATION INFORMATION (SURVEY NOT REQUIRED)  
FOR ZONE AO AND ZONE A (WITHOUT BFE)**

For Zones AO and A (without BFE), complete Items E1–E5. If the Certificate is intended to support a LOMA or LOMR-F request, complete Sections A, B, and C. For Items E1–E4, use natural grade, if available. Check the measurement used. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.

- E1. Provide elevation information for the following and check the appropriate boxes to show whether the elevation is above or below the highest adjacent grade (HAG) and the lowest adjacent grade (LAG).
- a) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure) is \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters ☐ above or ☐ below the HAG.
- b) Top of bottom floor (including basement, crawlspace, or enclosure) is \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters ☐ above or ☐ below the LAG.
- E2. For Building Diagrams 6–9 with permanent flood openings provided in Section A Items 8 and/or 9 (see pages 1–2 of Instructions), the next higher floor (elevation C2.b in the diagrams) of the building is \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters ☐ above or ☐ below the HAG.
- E3. Attached garage (top of slab) is \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters ☐ above or ☐ below the HAG.
- E4. Top of platform of machinery and/or equipment servicing the building is \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters ☐ above or ☐ below the HAG.
- E5. Zone AO only: If no flood depth number is available, is the top of the bottom floor elevated in accordance with the community's floodplain management ordinance? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown. The local official must certify this information in Section G.

**SECTION F – PROPERTY OWNER (OR OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE) CERTIFICATION**

The property owner or owner's authorized representative who completes Sections A, B, and E for Zone A (without a FEMA-issued or community-issued BFE) or Zone AO must sign here. The statements in Sections A, B, and E are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Property Owner or Owner's Authorized Representative's Name

Address

City

State

ZIP Code

Signature

Date

Telephone

Comments

☐ Check here if attachments.

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**SECTION G – COMMUNITY INFORMATION (OPTIONAL)**

The local official who is authorized by law or ordinance to administer the community's floodplain management ordinance can complete Sections A, B, C (or E), and G of this Elevation Certificate. Complete the applicable item(s) and sign below. Check the measurement used in Items G8–G10. In Puerto Rico only, enter meters.

- G1. ☐ The information in Section C was taken from other documentation that has been signed and sealed by a licensed surveyor, engineer, or architect who is authorized by law to certify elevation information. (Indicate the source and date of the elevation data in the Comments area below.)
- G2. ☐ A community official completed Section E for a building located in Zone A (without a FEMA-issued or community-issued BFE) or Zone AO.
- G3. ☐ The following information (Items G4–G10) is provided for community floodplain management purposes.

G4. Permit Number	G5. Date Permit Issued	G6. Date Certificate of Compliance/Occupancy Issued
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G7. This permit has been issued for: ☐ New Construction ☐ Substantial Improvement

G8. Elevation of as-built lowest floor (including basement) of the building: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_

G9. BFE or (in Zone AO) depth of flooding at the building site: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_

G10. Community's design flood elevation: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ feet ☐ meters Datum \_\_\_\_\_

Local Official's Name	Title
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Community Name	Telephone
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Signature	Date
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Comments (including type of equipment and location, per C2(e), if applicable)

☐ Check here if attachments.

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## BUILDING PHOTOGRAPHS

See Instructions for Item A6.

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If using the Elevation Certificate to obtain NFIP flood insurance, affix at least 2 building photographs below according to the instructions for Item A6. Identify all photographs with date taken; "Front View" and "Rear View"; and, if required, "Right Side View" and "Left Side View." When applicable, photographs must show the foundation with representative examples of the flood openings or vents, as indicated in Section A8. If submitting more photographs than will fit on this page, use the Continuation Page.



Photo One

Photo One Caption East side (front) Photo taken 3/6/2018

Clear Photo One

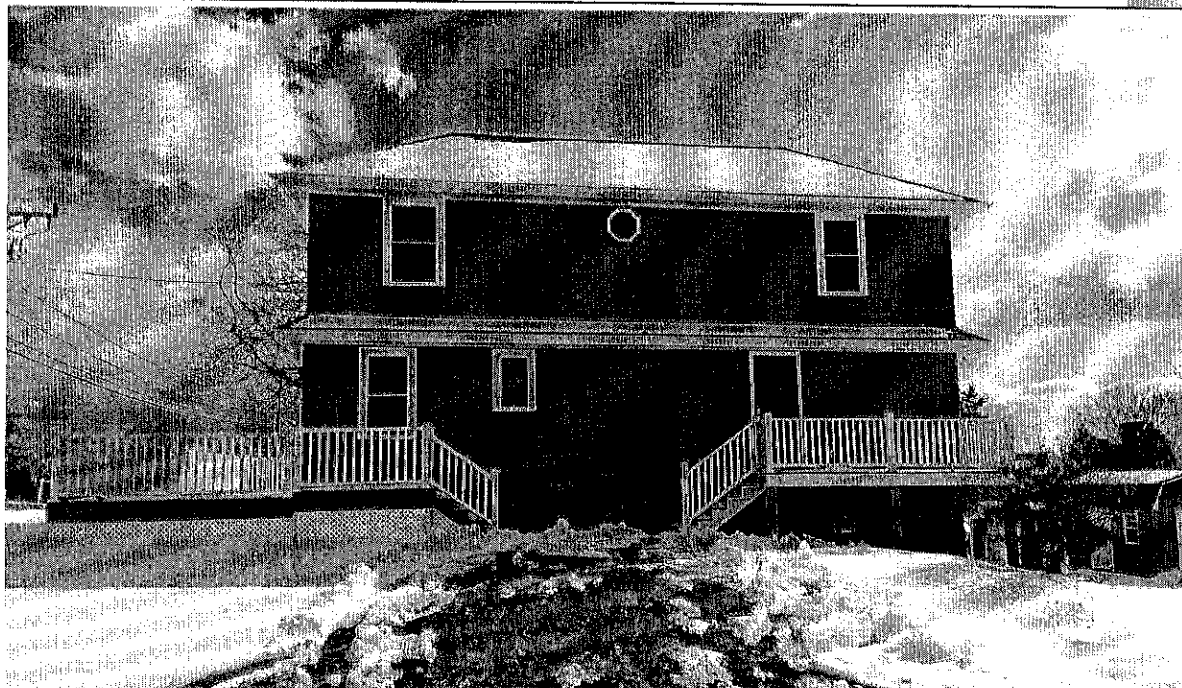


Photo Two

Photo Two Caption North side Photo taken 3/6/2018

Clear Photo Two

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## BUILDING PHOTOGRAPHS

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Photo Three

Photo Three Caption

West side Photo taken 3/6/2019

Clear Photo Three



Photo Four

Photo Four Caption

South side Photo taken 3/6/2019

Clear Photo Four

Section D Comments  
Revised 3/11/2019

Structure is a two story residence originally built in 1935 with a second floor addition added in 2018-2019 along with new decks. The structure is wood framed and supported on concrete foundation walls enclosing a walk out basement.

Section A8: Square footage quantity under section A8a, is based on the exterior dimension of the structure. The structure has 4 installed Smart Vents Model # 1540-574. Each Smart Vent allows for 200 square feet of flood coverage, see attached ICC Evaluation Report.

Section C2: Elevations are referenced to a GPS bench mark located at Cherenzia Companies corporate offices located approx. 4.1 miles from 70 Weekapaug Road. The corporate office elevation was established from numerous GPS static observations and redundant OPUS reductions over the last 10+ years. A GPS static observation was used to transfer NAVD -88 datum to a local benchmark at the 70 Weekapaug Road site.

Section C2a: Elevation on the walkout basement level slab; building diagram 7: Elevation 6.79

Section C2b: Elevation listed is the floor above the basement. The 1<sup>st</sup> floor elevation is 15.11.

Section C2e: Water heater on 1<sup>st</sup> floor; elevation 15.11. Two propane tanks are secured to an exterior concrete pad located on the west side of the residence, Elevation 8.5', see west side photo on page 6 of the Elevation Certificate. All other machinery or equipment on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor; elevation 22.88.

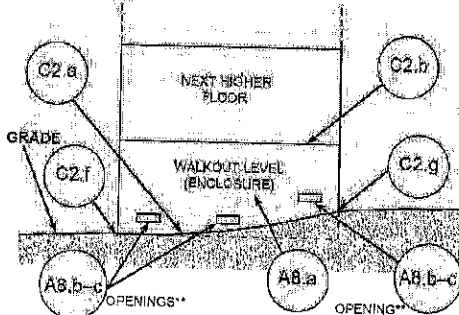
Section C2h: ground elevation at support post for deck at southwesterly corner of residence. Elevation 7.0.

## Building Diagrams

**DIAGRAM 7**

All buildings elevated on full-story foundation walls with a partially or fully enclosed area below the elevated floor. This includes walkout levels, where at least 1 side is at or above grade. The principal use of this building is located in the elevated floors of the building.

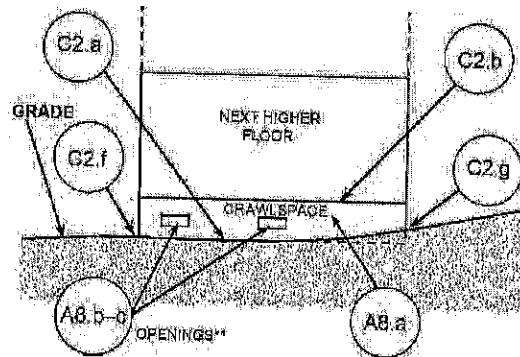
**Distinguishing Feature** – For all zones, the area below the elevated floor is enclosed, either partially or fully. In A Zones, the partially or fully enclosed area below the elevated floor is with or without openings\*\* present in the walls of the enclosure. Indicate information about enclosure size and openings in Section A – Property Information.



**DIAGRAM 8**

All buildings elevated on a crawlspace with the floor of the crawlspace at or above grade on at least 1 side, with or without an attached garage.

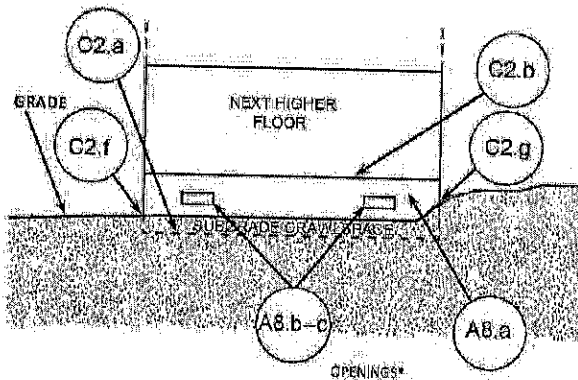
**Distinguishing Feature** – For all zones, the area below the first floor is enclosed by solid or partial perimeter walls. In all A zones, the crawlspace is with or without openings\*\* present in the walls of the crawlspace. Indicate information about crawlspace size and openings in Section A – Property Information.



**DIAGRAM 9**

All buildings (other than split-level) elevated on a sub-grade crawlspace, with or without attached garage.

**Distinguishing Feature** – The bottom (crawlspace) floor is below ground level (grade) on all sides.\* (If the distance from the crawlspace floor to the top of the next higher floor is more than 5 feet, or the crawlspace floor is more than 2 feet below the grade [LAG] on all sides, use Diagram 2A or 2B.)



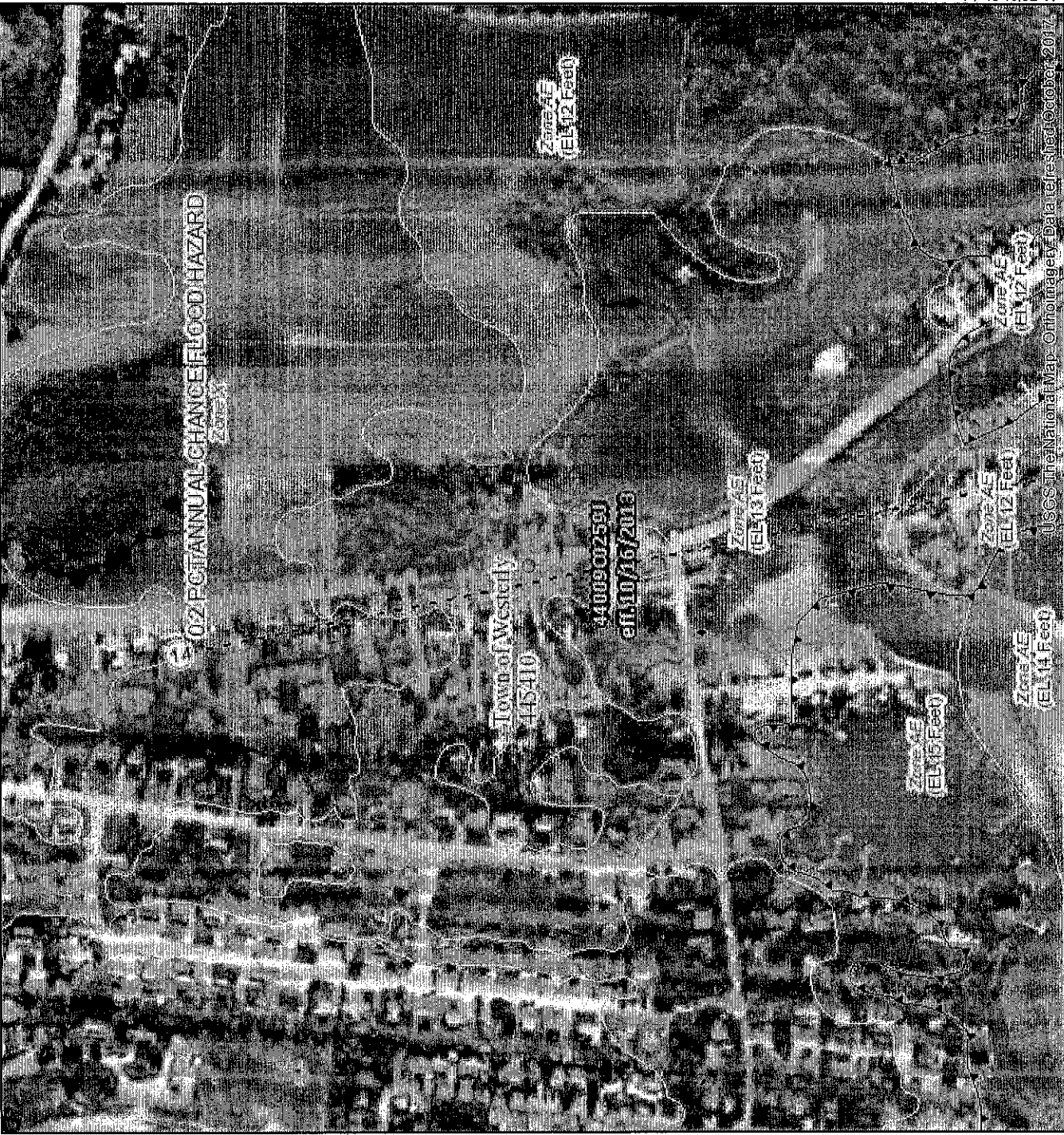
\* A floor that is below ground level (grade) on all sides is considered a basement even if the floor is used for living purposes, or as an office, garage, workshop, etc.

\*\* An "opening" is a permanent opening that allows for the free passage of water automatically in both directions without human intervention. Under the NFIP, a minimum of 2 openings is required for enclosures or crawlspaces. The openings shall provide a total net area of not less than 1 square inch for every square foot of area enclosed, excluding any bars, louvers, or other covers of the opening. Alternatively, an Individual Engineered Flood Openings Certification or an Evaluation Report issued by the International Code Council Evaluation Service (ICC ES) must be submitted to document that the design of the openings will allow for the automatic equalization of hydrostatic flood forces on exterior walls. A window, a door, or a garage door is not considered an opening; openings may be installed in doors. Openings shall be on at least 2 sides of the enclosed area. If a building has more than 1 enclosed area, each area must have openings to allow floodwater to directly enter. The bottom of the openings must be no higher than 1.0 foot above the higher of the exterior or interior grade or floor immediately below the opening. For more guidance on openings, see NFIP Technical Bulletin 1.

# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



41°20'30.03"N



71°45'46.02"W

41°20'3.02"N



## Legend

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS	Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A, V, X, Y, Z	With BFE of Depth Zone A, X, Y, Z, AE, AF, AH, AR, AS, AV, AZ, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z
	Regulatory Floodway	

0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile Zone X

Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone X

Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee, See Notes, Zone X

Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D

## OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD

OTHER AREAS	Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X	Effective LOMRs	Area of Undetermined Flood Hazard Zone D

GENERAL STRUCTURES

Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewer

Levee, Dike, or Floodwall

OTHER FEATURES	Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance Water Surface Elevation	Coastal Transect	Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE)	Limit of Study	Jurisdiction Boundary	Coastal Transect Baseline	Profile Baseline	Hydrographic Feature

MAP PANELS	Digital Data Available	No Digital Data Available	Unmapped

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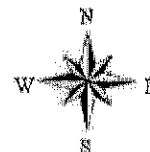
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0 75 Feet



# Harrington Residence

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Westerly, RI 02891

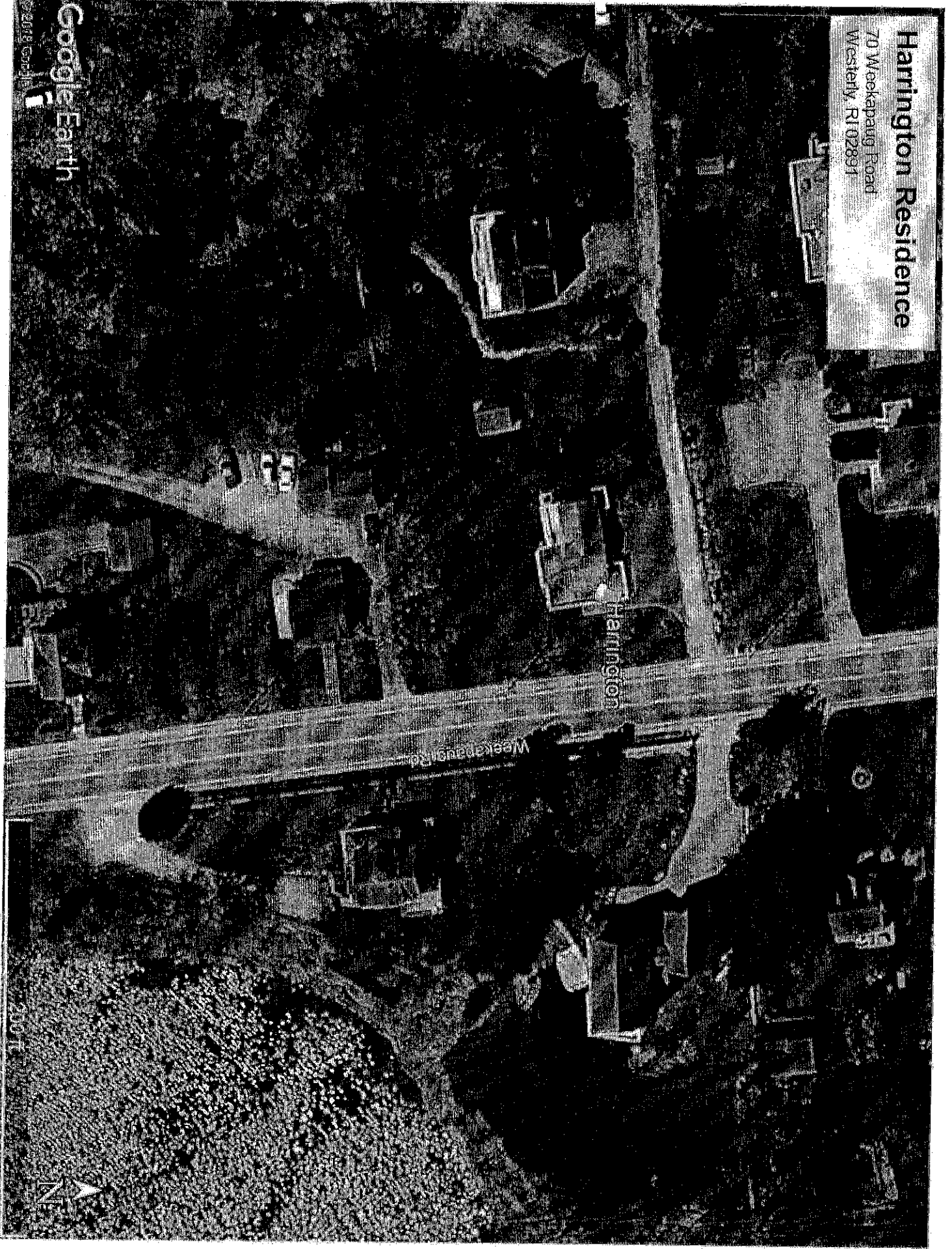
Harrington

Weekapaug Rd

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## Coastal Barrier Resources System Mapper Documentation



### CBRS Units

- ☐ Otherwise Protected Area
- ☐ System Unit

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**User Supplied Address/Location Description:** N/A

**Pin Location:** Outside CBRS

**Pin Flood Insurance Prohibition Date:** N/A

**Pin System Unit Establishment Date:** N/A

The user placed pin location is not within the CBRS. For the nearest official CBRS map depicting this area, please see the map numbered 079A, dated 10/23/1992. The official CBRS maps are accessible at <https://www.fws.gov/cbra/maps/index.html>.

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**DIVISION: 08 00 00—OPENINGS**

**SECTION: 08 95 43—VENTS/FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS**

**REPORT HOLDER:**

**SMARTVENT PRODUCTS, INC.**

**430 ANDBRO DRIVE, UNIT 1  
PITMAN, NEW JERSEY 08071**

**EVALUATION SUBJECT:**

**SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS: MODELS #1540-520;  
#1540-521; #1540-510; #1540-511; #1540-570; #1540-574; #1540-524; #1540-514**



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**DIVISION: 08 00 00—OPENINGS**

**Section: 08 95 43—Vents/Foundation Flood Vents**

## REPORT HOLDER:

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## EVALUATION SUBJECT:

**SMART VENT® AUTOMATIC FOUNDATION FLOOD VENTS:**  
**MODELS #1540-520; #1540-521; #1540-510; #1540-511;**  
**#1540-570; #1540-574; #1540-524; #1540-514**

## 1.0 EVALUATION SCOPE

Compliance with the following codes:

- 2015, 2012, 2009 and 2006 *International Building Code*® (IBC)
- 2015, 2012, 2009 and 2006 *International Residential Code*® (IRC)
- 2013 *Abu Dhabi International Building Code* (ADIBC)<sup>†</sup>

<sup>†</sup>The ADIBC is based on the 2009 IBC. 2009 IBC code sections referenced in this report are the same sections in the ADIBC.

### Properties evaluated:

- Physical operation
- Water flow

## 2.0 USES

The Smart Vent® units are engineered mechanically operated flood vents (FVs) employed to equalize hydrostatic pressure on walls of enclosures subject to rising or falling flood waters. Certain models also allow natural ventilation.

## 3.0 DESCRIPTION

### 3.1 General:

When subjected to rising water, the Smart Vent® FVs internal floats are activated, then pivot open to allow flow in either direction to equalize water level and hydrostatic pressure from one side of the foundation to the other. The FV pivoting door is normally held in the closed position by a buoyant release device. When subjected to rising water,

the buoyant release device causes the unit to unlatch, allowing the door to rotate out of the way and allow flow. The water level stabilizes, equalizing the lateral forces. Each unit is fabricated from stainless steel. Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents are available in various models and sizes as described in Table 1. The SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT® Stacking Model #1540-521 units each contain two vertically arranged openings per unit.

### 3.2 Engineered Opening:

The FVs comply with the design principle noted in Section 2.7.2.2 and Section 2.7.3 of ASCE/SEI 24-14 [Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24-05 (2012, 2009, 2006 IBC and IRC)] for a maximum rate of rise and fall of 5.0 feet per hour (0.423 mm/s). In order to comply with the engineered opening requirement of ASCE/SEI 24, Smart Vent FVs must be installed in accordance with Section 4.0.

### 3.3 Ventilation:

The SmartVENT® Model #1540-510 and SmartVENT® Overhead Door Model #1540-514 both have screen covers with 1/4-inch-by-1/4-inch (6.35 by 6.35 mm) openings, yielding 51 square inches (32 903 mm<sup>2</sup>) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. The SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 consists of two Model #1540-510 units in one assembly, and provides 102 square inches (65 806 mm<sup>2</sup>) of net free area to supply natural ventilation. Other FVs recognized in this report do not offer natural ventilation.

## 4.0 DESIGN AND INSTALLATION

SmartVENT® and FloodVENT® are designed to be installed into walls or overhead doors of existing or new construction from the exterior side. Installation of the vents must be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, the applicable code and this report. Installation clips allow mounting in masonry and concrete walls of any thickness. In order to comply with the engineered opening design principle noted in Section 2.7.2.2 and 2.7.3 of ASCE/SEI 24-14 [Section 2.6.2.2 of ASCE/SEI 24-05 (2012, 2009, 2006 IBC and IRC)], the Smart Vent® FVs must be installed as follows:

- With a minimum of two openings on different sides of each enclosed area.
- With a minimum of one FV for every 200 square feet (18.6 m<sup>2</sup>) of enclosed area, except that the SmartVENT® Stacking Model #1540-511 and FloodVENT® Stacking Model #1540-521 must be

installed with a minimum of one FV for every 400 square feet (37.2 m<sup>2</sup>) of enclosed area.

- Below the base flood elevation.
- With the bottom of the FV located a maximum of 12 inches (305.4 mm) above the higher of the final grade or floor and finished exterior grade immediately under each opening.

## 5.0 CONDITIONS OF USE

The Smart Vent® FVs described in this report comply with, or are suitable alternatives to what is specified in, those codes listed in Section 1.0 of this report, subject to the following conditions:

- 5.1 The Smart Vent® FVs must be installed in accordance with this report, the applicable code and the manufacturer's installation instructions. In the event of a conflict, the instructions in this report govern.

- 5.2 The Smart Vent® FVs must not be used in the place of "breakaway walls" in coastal high hazard areas, but are permitted for use in conjunction with breakaway walls in other areas.

## 6.0 EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

Data in accordance with the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria for Mechanically Operated Flood Vents (AC308), dated August 2015.

## 7.0 IDENTIFICATION

The Smart VENT® models recognized in this report must be identified by a label bearing the manufacturer's name (Smartvent Products, Inc.), the model number, and the evaluation report number (ESR-2074).

TABLE 1—MODEL SIZES

MODEL NAME	MODEL NUMBER	MODEL SIZE (in.)	COVERAGE (sq. ft.)
FloodVENT®	1540-520	15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " X 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
SmartVENT®	1540-510	15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " X 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
FloodVENT® Overhead Door	1540-524	15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " X 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
SmartVENT® Overhead Door	1540-514	15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " X 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
Wood Wall FloodVENT®	1540-570	14" X 8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
Wood Wall FloodVENT® Overhead Door	1540-574	14" X 8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	200
SmartVENT® Stacker	1540-511	16" X 16"	400
FloodVent® Stacker	1540-521	16" X 16"	400

For SI: 1 inch = 25.4 mm; 1 square foot = m<sup>2</sup>

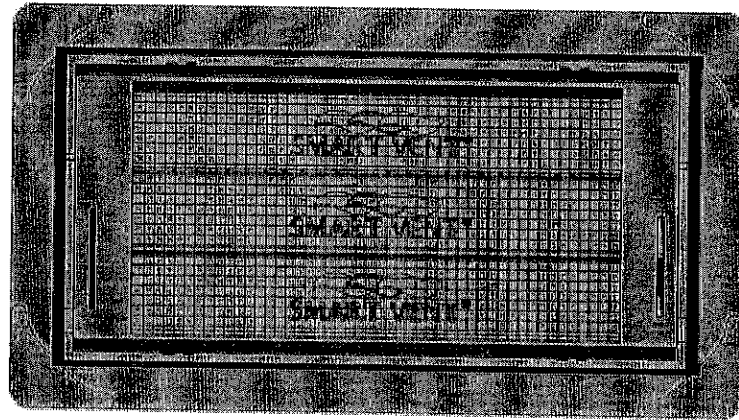


FIGURE 1—SMART VENT: MODEL 1540-510

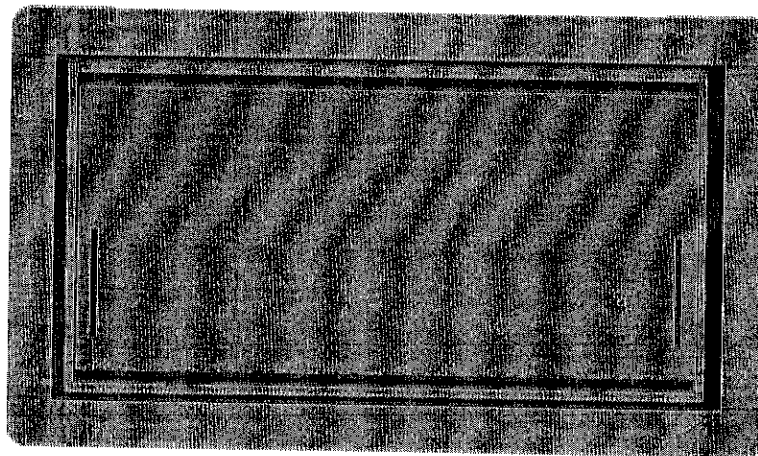


FIGURE 2—SMART VENT MODEL 1540-520

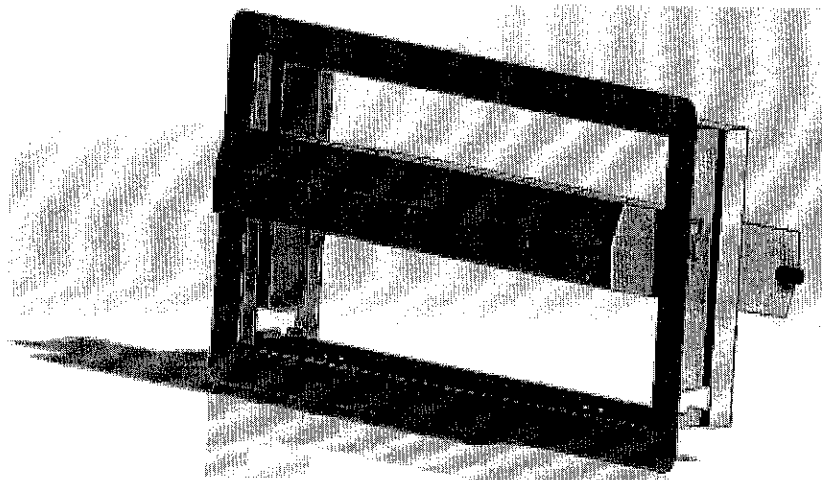


FIGURE 3—SMART VENT: SHOWN WITH FLOOD DOOR PIVOTED OPEN

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## 1.0 REPORT PURPOSE AND SCOPE

### Purpose:

The purpose of this evaluation report supplement is to indicate that Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, recognized in ICC-ES master evaluation report ESR-2074, have also been evaluated for compliance with codes noted below.

### Applicable code edition:

- 2016 California Building Code (CBC)
- 2016 California Residential Code (CRC)

## 2.0 CONCLUSIONS

### 2.1 CBC:

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the master evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with 2016 CBC Chapter 12, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 *International Building Code*® (IBC) provisions noted in the master report and the additional requirements of CBC Chapters 12, 16 and 16A, as applicable.

The products recognized in this supplement have not been evaluated under CBC Chapter 7A for use in the exterior design and construction of new buildings located in any Fire Hazard Severity Zone within State Responsibility Areas or any Wildland-Urban Interface Fire Area.

### 2.2 CRC:

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the master evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with the 2016 CRC, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 *International Residential Code*® (IRC) provisions noted in the master report.

The products recognized in this supplement have not been evaluated under 2016 CRC Chapter R337, for use in the exterior design and construction of new buildings located in any Fire Hazard Severity Zone within State Responsibility Areas or any Wildland-Urban Interface Fire Area.

The products recognized in this supplement have not been evaluated for compliance with the International Wildland-Urban Interface Code®.

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#### Applicable code editions:

- 2017 Florida Building Code—Building
- 2017 Florida Building Code—Residential

### 2.0 CONCLUSIONS

The Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents, described in Sections 2.0 through 7.0 of the master evaluation report ESR-2074, comply with the *Florida Building Code—Building* and the FRC, provided the design and installation are in accordance with the 2015 *International Building Code*® provisions noted in the master report.

Use of the Smart Vent® Automatic Foundation Flood Vents has also been found to be in compliance with the High-Velocity Hurricane Zone provisions of the *Florida Building Code—Building* and the *Florida Building Code—Residential*.

For products falling under Florida Rule 9N-3, verification that the report holder's quality assurance program is audited by a quality assurance entity approved by the Florida Building Commission for the type of inspections being conducted is the responsibility of an approved validation entity (or the code official when the report holder does not possess an approval by the Commission).

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